

**GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
MAYOR'S OFFICE OF LEGAL COUNSEL
Freedom of Information Act Appeal: 2015-74**

June 4, 2015

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Katherine Stanek

RE: FOIA Request 2015-74

Dear Ms. Stanek:

This letter responds to your administrative appeal to the Mayor under the District of Columbia Freedom of Information Act, D.C. Official Code § 2-537(a) ("DC FOIA"). You assert that the Metropolitan Police Department ("MPD") improperly withheld records in response to your request for information under DC FOIA dated April 20, 2015, by failing to respond to the request.

The FOIA request you submitted to MPD sought all calibration, maintenance, and quality control records for 2 speed cameras located on I-295. When the MPD failed to respond, you filed an appeal with the Mayor on May 27, 2015.

In response to your appeal, the MPD sent this office a letter, which is attached. The letter indicates that MPD failed to respond to your initial request due to the absence of the program director responsible for control of the responsive documents. The letter further states that the program director has returned to work. MPD indicates that your request is being processed and expects to provide you with a substantive response within 7 days of today's date.

Based on MPD's representation that it will provide you with the documents are you seeking within the next few days, we consider your appeal to be moot and it is dismissed; provided, that the dismissal shall be without prejudice to you to assert any challenge, by separate appeal, to MPD's response.

Sincerely,

/s Melissa C. Tucker

Melissa C. Tucker
Associate Director
Mayor's Office of Legal Counsel

cc: Ronald B. Harris, Deputy General Counsel, MPD (via email)